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In re the application of:

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For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE HAVING AN INSULATION FILM WITH REDUCED WATER CONTENT (As Amended)

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

April 15, 2002

Group Art Unit: 32823

Sir:

Applicants petition the Assistant Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated October 15, 2001 for three months from January 15, 2002 to April 15, 2002.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$920.00 cover the cost of the extension. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340. This paper is filed in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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